

**Table 13. Average Price of U.S. Steam Coal Exports**  
(Dollars per Short Tons)

Continent and Country of Destination	April - June 2006	January - March 2006	April - June 2005	Year to Date		
				2006	2005	Percent Change
<b>North America Total</b> .....	<b>42.30</b>	<b>39.86</b>	<b>40.67</b>	<b>41.32</b>	<b>41.31</b>	<b>*</b>
Canada <sup>1</sup> .....	42.04	38.42	39.96	40.61	39.24	3.5
Jamaica .....	-	-	-	-	33.95	-
Mexico .....	94.48	91.11	84.25	91.82	97.90	-6.2
Other <sup>2</sup> .....	113.30	46.50	43.72	71.61	75.01	-4.5
<b>South America Total</b> .....	<b>76.21</b>	<b>71.19</b>	<b>56.56</b>	<b>73.56</b>	<b>71.32</b>	<b>3.1</b>
Argentina .....	48.94	51.94	55.86	50.45	52.29	-3.5
Brazil .....	80.36	73.89	68.37	76.90	83.31	-7.7
Chile .....	89.71	470.16	21.35	122.97	25.94	374.1
Other <sup>2</sup> .....	44.84	44.09	36.61	44.48	37.43	18.8
<b>Europe Total</b> .....	<b>60.77</b>	<b>64.80</b>	<b>70.39</b>	<b>62.75</b>	<b>69.03</b>	<b>-9.1</b>
Belgium .....	39.93	56.60	52.39	56.55	54.75	3.3
Bulgaria .....	-	-	53.94	-	53.94	-
Denmark .....	53.88	-	38.10	53.88	38.10	41.4
Germany .....	96.30	75.32	51.55	75.35	43.58	72.9
Finland .....	50.80	-	-	50.80	-	-
France .....	720.00	-	744.71	720.00	93.03	NM
Italy .....	52.17	59.88	82.01	56.33	81.41	-30.8
Netherlands .....	67.51	36.31	84.24	59.85	71.57	-16.4
Portugal .....	40.83	40.84	45.63	40.84	45.66	-10.6
Romania .....	92.10	95.31	87.86	94.01	97.53	-3.6
Spain .....	45.36	99.82	79.08	45.81	59.05	-22.4
Sweden .....	-	-	-	-	106.36	-
Turkey .....	40.84	39.93	95.84	40.56	95.35	-57.5
United Kingdom .....	45.73	48.70	62.70	47.59	62.37	-23.7
Other <sup>2</sup> .....	40.23	39.94	39.89	40.00	39.91	0.2
<b>Asia Total</b> .....	<b>76.88</b>	<b>58.48</b>	<b>70.25</b>	<b>61.60</b>	<b>63.20</b>	<b>-2.5</b>
India .....	69.09	-	75.04	69.09	75.04	-7.9
Japan .....	96.04	194.57	329.29	125.06	90.44	38.3
Saudi Arabia .....	47.66	40.96	39.95	45.38	39.93	13.7
South Korea .....	78.57	57.88	69.88	60.70	51.88	17.0
Other <sup>2</sup> .....	64.54	53.18	57.77	59.91	54.02	10.9
<b>Oceania &amp; Australia Total</b> .....	<b>39.92</b>	<b>256.00</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>44.32</b>	<b>39.96</b>	<b>10.9</b>
Other <sup>2</sup> .....	39.92	256.00	-	44.32	39.96	10.9
<b>Africa Total</b> .....	<b>44.16</b>	<b>41.18</b>	<b>40.91</b>	<b>43.86</b>	<b>56.73</b>	<b>-22.7</b>
Egypt .....	39.92	39.93	39.98	39.92	39.98	-0.1
Morocco .....	45.13	-	-	45.13	54.39	-17.0
Other <sup>2</sup> .....	39.92	41.29	41.11	40.51	59.99	-32.5
<b>U.S. Total</b> .....	<b>46.40</b>	<b>47.10</b>	<b>48.19</b>	<b>46.70</b>	<b>50.35</b>	<b>-7.2</b>

<sup>1</sup> Based on the U.S. - Canada Free Trade Agreement; as of January 1990, the U.S. Department of Commerce began reporting statistics on U.S. exports to Canada based on information on imports provided monthly by the Canadian government.

<sup>2</sup> Includes countries with coal exports less than or equal to 50,000 short tons in 2005.

\* Quantity is less than 0.5 thousand short tons or percent change is less than 0.1%.

NM = Changes of 500 percent or more are not shown.

Note: • Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding. Average price is based on the free alongside ship (f.a.s.) value, including value for shipments of specialty coal not used as a fuel source (about 0.05% of all shipments). Steam coal includes bituminous, subbituminous, lignite, and anthracite.

Source: • Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce, "Monthly Report EM 545."